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May 25, 2023

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

In re:

MINING PROJECT WIND DOWN HOLDINGS,
INC. (f/k/a Compute North Holdings, Inc.), *et al.*,Debtors.¹

Chapter 11

Case No. 22-90273 (MI)

(Jointly Administered)

**AMENDED STIPULATION AND AGREED ORDER BY AND BETWEEN
THE PLAN ADMINISTRATOR AND HAROLD E. COULBY, JR.**

Tribolet Advisors LLC, in its capacity as Plan Administrator (“Plan Administrator”) in the above-captioned bankruptcy cases (the “Cases”), and Harold E. Coulby, Jr. (“Coulby” and, together with the Trustee, the “Parties”), hereby enter into this amended stipulation and agreed order (the “Stipulation”) as follows:

WHEREAS, on September 22, 2022 (the “Petition Date”), the Debtors in the above-captioned bankruptcy cases filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas (the “Bankruptcy Court”).

¹ The Reorganized Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Reorganized Debtor’s federal tax identification number, include: Mining Project Wind Down Holdings, Inc. (f/k/a Compute North Holdings, Inc.) (4534); Mining Project Wind Down LLC (f/k/a Compute North LLC) (7185); Mining Project Wind Down Corpus Christi LLC (f/k/a CN Corpus Christi LLC) (5551); Mining Project Wind Down Atoka LLC (f/k/a CN Atoka LLC) (4384); Mining Project Wind Down BS LLC (f/k/a CN Big Spring LLC) (4397); Mining Project Wind Down Colorado Bend LLC (f/k/a CN Colorado Bend LLC) (4610); Mining Project Wind Down Developments LLC (f/k/a CN Developments LLC) (2570); Mining Project Wind Down Equipment LLC (f/k/a CN Equipment LLC) (6885); Mining Project Wind Down King Mountain LLC (f/k/a CN King Mountain LLC) (7190); Mining Project Wind Down MDN LLC (f/k/a CN Minden LLC) (3722); Mining Project Wind Down Mining LLC (f/k/a CN Mining LLC) (5223); Mining Project Wind Down Pledgor LLC (f/k/a CN Pledgor LLC) (9871); Mining Project Wind Down Member LLC (f/k/a Compute North Member LLC) (8639); Mining Project Wind Down NC08 LLC (f/k/a Compute North NC08 LLC) (8069); Mining Project Wind Down NY09 LLC (f/k/a Compute North NY09 LLC) (5453); Mining Project Wind Down STHDAK LLC (f/k/a Compute North SD, LLC) (1501); Mining Project Wind Down Texas LLC (f/k/a Compute North Texas LLC) (1883); Mining Project Wind Down TX06 LLC (f/k/a ComputeNorth TX06 LLC) (5921); and Mining Project Wind Down TX10 LLC (f/k/a Compute North TX10 LLC) (4238). The Reorganized Debtors’ service address for the purposes of these chapter 11 cases is 2305A Elmen Street, Houston, TX 77019.

WHEREAS, on February 16, 2023, the Bankruptcy Court entered an order (the “Confirmation Order”) confirming the *Third Amended Joint Liquidating Chapter 11 Plan of Mining Project Wind Down Holdings, Inc. (f/k/a Compute North Holdings, Inc.) and Its Debtor Affiliates* (the “Plan”).²

WHEREAS, the Plan Administrator is governed by the Amended Plan Administrator Agreement (the “Plan Administrator Agreement”).³ Pursuant to the Confirmation Order and Plan Administrator Agreement, the Plan Administrator is tasked with, among other things: (1) serving as the sole manager, director, and officer of the Reorganized Debtors as of the Plan’s effective date; (2) implementing the Plan and any applicable orders of the Court; and (3) reconciling and resolving claims asserted against the Reorganized Debtors’ estates.⁴

WHEREAS, on November 23, 2022, Coulby timely filed proof of claim number 10118 (the “Proof of Claim”) in the Compute North Holdings, Inc. bankruptcy case, asserting an administrative claim for an unpaid signing bonus arising under a pre-petition employment agreement.

WHEREAS, the Plan Administrator disputes the administrative basis of the Proof of Claim and contends that Coulby is entitled to no more than a priority wage claim for \$15,150.00 under 11 U.S.C. § 507(a)(4) and a general unsecured claim for the balance of \$34,850.00.

WHEREAS, following negotiations the Parties have reached an agreement resolving and settling the Proof of Claim, which agreement is memorialized herein.

² Docket No. 1019.

³ Docket No. 1079, Exhibit F.

⁴ Plan §§ 4.2.5, 7.3; Confirmation Order ¶¶ 53, 88; Plan Administrator Agreement § 1.3.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing recitals, which are incorporated into this Stipulation, it is stipulated and agreed, and upon approval by the Bankruptcy Court, it is SO ORDERED as follows:

1. The Parties stipulate and agree that the Proof of Claim shall be and is hereby reclassified and modified as follows (the “Stipulated Claim”):

Priority under § 507(a)(4):	\$15,150.00 (the “ <u>Priority Claim</u> ”)
General Unsecured:	\$34,850.00 (the “ <u>General Unsecured Claim</u> ”)
Total claim amount:	\$50,000.00

2. The Parties agree that the Stipulated Claim shall be allowed in the Compute North Holdings, Inc. bankruptcy case, without the need for a formal amendment to the Proof of Claim.

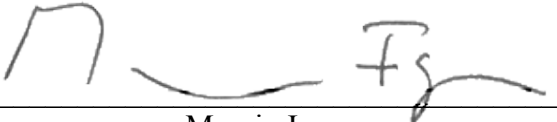
3. The Parties further stipulate and agree that distributions on the Priority Claim shall be payable from the Allowed Administrative and Priority Claims Reserve. For the avoidance of doubt, distributions on the General Unsecured Claim, if any, shall be allocated and payable at the same time and manner as other general unsecured claims.

4. The Parties further stipulate and agree that the Plan Administrator may direct the Claims and Solicitation Agent, Epiq Corporate Restructuring, LLC, to update the official claims register to reflect this Stipulation.

5. Notwithstanding Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h), the terms and conditions of this Stipulation shall be effective and enforceable upon approval and entry by the Bankruptcy Court.

6. The Bankruptcy Court retains exclusive jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation of this Stipulation, and the Parties hereby consent to such jurisdiction to resolve any disputes or controversies arising from or related to this Stipulation.

Signed: May 25, 2023


Marvin Isgur
United States Bankruptcy Judge

AGREED TO AS TO FORM AND SUBSTANCE:

Dated: May 24, 2023

/s/ Charles R. Gibbs

Charles R. Gibbs

Texas State Bar No. 7846300

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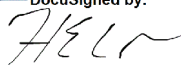
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Certificate of Service

I certify that on May 24, 2023, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served by (i) the Electronic Case Filing System for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas (the “ECF System”) on all parties registered to receive service via the ECF System in these cases, and (ii) electronic mail and First Class U.S. Mail on the party listed below.

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